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Jones County Singing Convention Meets In Hamlin Sat. Night, Sun.

Hamlin is to be host to the Jones County Singing Convention this week-end. The first session will be at 7:30 o'clock, Saturday night at the High School Auditorium.

The local committee on arrangements is composed of Martin Westbrook, Mrs. B. Middleton and Mrs. J. P. McClung.

The various assemblies in the auditorium will be Saturday night at 7:30 o'clock.

Sunday morning at 10:00 o'clock until noon.

Sunday afternoon from 1:30 o'clock until adjournment time.

This is the third time Hamlin has had the pleasure of playing host to this convention of singers.

Arrangements have been made to accommodate the out-of-county singers at hotels, but there will be no

public lunch on Sunday—folks, bring your baskets filled and sit down and eat together,—it will be like old times.

Secretary Westbrook is expecting an unusual crowd at all the sessions of singing. He urges all to come who enjoy good singing. There will be many special features—like quartets and instrumental combinations.

The Jones County Singing Convention is perhaps the oldest organization in the county—its history would include most of our pioneer men and women. Some of the good old leaders are now singing in glory-land—but this Sunday many, many aged faces, but cheerful voices will again be thrilled with the massed music of new people.

Hamlin people should join in welcoming all the visitors here this Saturday and Sunday.

WHITE SOX AND PIRATES PLAYING IN SWEETWATER THURSDAY

Baseball fans of West Texas are to have the rare opportunity of witnessing a major league game next Thursday afternoon, April 7, when the Chicago White Sox of the American League and the Pittsburgh Pirates of the National League meet at Sweetwater under sponsorship of the Sweetwater Board of City Development.

Because of the big name players on the rosters of these two famous clubs and because of the hunger of sport fans in this section for a game of this calibre, advance ticket sales have far exceeded the fondest hope of sponsors, it was reported in the Nolan county capital yesterday. More than half of the 500 grand stand ducats has been sold and preparations were being made to accommodate around 2,000 on bleacher seats. Another 1,500 to 2,000 are expected to be "standing room only" fans behind the first and third base lines.

The game is scheduled to begin promptly at 2:00 p. m.

Pittsburgh is due to arrive in Sweetwater over the Santa Fe from San Bernardino early the morning of the 7th and the White Sox will arrive over the Texas & Pacific from Pasadena at 9:30 the same morning. It will be their first meeting in Texas enroute home from their spring training grounds in California.

SCHOOL TRUSTEE ELECTION NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held at the Hamlin High School Building on the first Saturday of next month, the same being the second day of April, 1938, for the purpose of electing three school trustees for said Hamlin Independent School District in accordance with the general laws of the State of Texas governing such an election.

Signed: Thos. Teague, President.
Attest: Mac Brundage, Secretary.

New modern type makes lovely printing at the Herald plant.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE ISSUES CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY

At a recent meeting of the Directors of the Chamber of Commerce they ordered printed on a nice size card a Certificate of Authority, and these are to be distributed to each member the first of April. They also approved the appointment of a Board of Trade Committee whose duty it will be to pass on solicitors applications that may be made on all of our members during the year. With the Certificate of Authority each member will have in their place of business will be a small card clipped to one corner which reads, "Member Hamlin Board of Trade." All solicitors must have letter of approval from Board of Trade before receiving our consideration. It is believed that with the close co-operation of all the members that a large saving will be made by all members during the year.

W. E. BENSON, Secretary.

NOTICE TO GINNERS IN TEXAS

As Commissioner of Agriculture I wish to again remind ginnerers of Texas of the importance, both to themselves and cotton farmers, that cotton must be not only properly ginned but that the bagging and ties with which it is wrapped MUST be of proper quality and weight.

If the pattern of bagging and ties weighs less than 21 pounds the farmer suffers an actual loss; his loss will vary according to the price of cotton.

As the farmer sells his cotton after it is wrapped (gross weight) if less than 21 pounds per pattern of bagging and ties are used as wrapping he loses the difference just as surely as if that much cotton lint was taken from the bale without his consent.

Everyone familiar with the facts that under the trading rules and sales system now in common use, the price which is paid to the farmer for his cotton is based on the farmer being furnished about 21 pounds per pattern of bagging and ties at the gin. The ginner, like any other good business man, will serve his own interest best by serving the farmer well.

I sincerely hope all Texas ginnerers will protect the cotton farmers' interest by using full two pound bagging in wrapping the 1938 cotton crop.

Sincerely,
J. W. McDONALD,
Commissioner of Agriculture.

MARRIED

Last week the Herald had the information about the marriage of Mr. Billie H. Gilbreath of this city, but for lack of time failed to get it told in the last issue of the Herald.

Billie H. Gilbreath was married on March 19, to Miss Christina Haile of Brownwood. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Haile of Brownwood and a very charming young woman. Mr. Gilbreath is a brother of Roy Gilbreath, Manager of the Bockwell Brothers & Co. Yard in Hamlin. His parents Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Gilbreath also reside in Brownwood. Billie has lived in Hamlin perhaps a year or more being connected with the Carlisle Service Station. He has made a large number of friends here.

Mrs. N. J. Caudle returned last week from San Angelo hospital where she underwent an operation. She is recovering nicely.

Mrs. J. F. Taylor returned last week from Dallas and Fort Worth where she had spent three weeks visiting relatives. She was accompanied home by her son and his wife Mr. and Mrs. Frank Taylor who made a short visit here.

Mrs. J. C. Bledsoe is in Albany visiting her daughter, Mrs. Jack Dickie and husband. Mrs. Bledsoe has been confined to her bed for several years, and to be able to make this visit is an unusual treat to her. Within the past few months her condition has improved much, and she is able to go about in a wheel chair.

"HEADED FOR EDEN"

"And although it tears my heart out to do so, I must leave you to the tender mercies of my companions in poverty." That is one of Dorothy Jane Bailey's speeches in the role of Gladys Hermann, a mannequin.

Minnie Peters, a clerk at Woolworth's, will really give you lots of honest-to-goodness laughs. This part is played by Wilma Redus to perfection. She is very clever and thinks up a scheme that is most satisfactory which really starts things happening.

Ada Jane Howard, as Dorothy Brill, (a stenographer for Spinkwitz and Selznick, Furriers) likes candy and books, is afraid of noises at night, can scream like a panther, and is A-1 when it comes to flirting.

Dorthea Nell Dillard is a sweet Marcella Turner who has lost her job, and can't help but feel sorry for her until she finds a job taking care of triplets at twenty dollars per week.

Peggy Walters, a clerk at Sturn's Department Store, is one of the girls who stays at the boarding house and adds life and excitement to the affairs of all concerned.

There's romance in the air when Thomas Williams, a handsome and rich LaSalle Street broker, falls in love with his stenographer, Lois Ellen Stell, and marries her in less than two months acquaintance. Tom is really a "wonderful catch" because he always brings flowers and drives a big cream-colored Duesenberg—HALF A MILE LONG. Boys, you'd better see "Headed For Eden" and learn his methods!

There are eight other characters that we haven't told you about, but watch out for them next week. Then we want you to watch all of these characters on the night of April 15 and see if you don't like them as well as the Seniors do.

John Baker, of Macon, Georgia, is spending some time with his uncle, I. N. Baker and family who reside on the Stanoline Oil & Gas Lease west of Hamlin. This is this young man's first visit to Texas and he says he likes everything here except the "mud." Even he likes the wind. If he should live here long enough he would rejoice to see "mud."

STAMFORD COLLEGE EXES TO MEET APRIL 9

The Herald is informed that the Stamford College Alumnus Association will hold an all-day meeting at the Methodist Church in Stamford April 9.

All Exes of the former Stamford College please bear this in mind and attend. A good time is assured.

Every couple will find a joint card, artfully printed, very convenient, comes in handy often—why not have a few printed "Mr. and Mrs.?" at the Herald.

DIESEL

M. B. Stevenson, personnel officer of Anderson Diesel School of Los Angeles will be in Hamlin the week of April 3, 1938, to select men to start training for permanent positions in the rapidly growing industry.

Transportation allowance to Los Angeles and employment sufficient to defray living expenses while in training will be given those who qualify.

We will also select a few for retention work now with practical training later. For personal interview write—

M. B. STEVENSON—Box 574, Hamlin, Texas.

(Give your address and phone No.)

GOOD RAINS FALL AGAIN

Following a mid-summer Friday of last week, the Hamlin territory found itself in the midst of a drenching, all-day rain on Saturday, March 26. From time to time during Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday night from slight to hard showers continued to fall. The country is thoroughly wet.

This week's rains measured perhaps two inches general in this part of the state. It came just right to keep the wheat crop boosting. Wheat and spring oats are in the pink of shape and indications are that a bumper crop will be produced.

Cotton planting time is right here as this year's season is perhaps two or three weeks advanced. With so much moisture, a killing freeze is unlikely.

COTTON COMING UP

ON HILTERBRAND FARM

For about four years past the Herald has watched the results of early planting of cotton on the Hilterbrand farm on the River north of Hamlin. Wednesday we met C. W. Hilterbrand and we noticed he had a "sheepish" grin, in his usual social way. We started our usual questioning. Yes, he said, I have cotton coming up on 30 acres . . . looks like a good stand in a few days.

Think of cotton up here in this cold climate on the last days of March.

This is the earliest yet. In 1934, the first year Mr. Hilterbrand experienced in early cotton, he found that his rows were getting weedy, and so to kill the weeds, he decided to plant along as he weeded. He did and despite the dryness of the year, he made 18 bales out of the 40 acres of early planting. That year, he also had 25 acres of fairly late cotton that made only 2 bales. So from then on Hilterbrand has taken a chance at early cotton. It is hoped that this year will be better than any heretofore, Hilterbrand for early cotton. He says it is time to plant when it will come up. Early cotton has many advantages over the late, usually.

MR. AND MRS. RIPPETOE MOVE TO BRONTE, TEXAS

Last Saturday Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Rippetoe left for Bronte, Texas, to make that place their home.

Mr. Rippetoe has purchased a drug store there and takes charge this week. He has been the pharmacist at the Reynolds Drug Store in Hamlin for nearly three years. During this time he and his wife have made a host of friends here and it is with regrets that Hamlin loses this fine couple. Their friends wish for their great success in their new adventure.

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READERS OF PAPERS generally take sides in some form in every live major contest. In this country most of us are sympathetic with the "under dog." Doubtless we are correct in saying that here in the United States most people desire that the Chinese would defeat the Japs with great slaughter, or that the constituted government of Spain would win out over the insurgents and their foreign Italian legions and some German soldiers America still sympathizes with poor old Ethiopia. We sympathize with Austria and all the weak and helpless.

CLEAN-UP WEEK starts on Monday, April 3,—State-Wide. The purpose of a Clean-up week is more than just to make things look neat and orderly—it means for health to be in an atmosphere of cleanliness is helpful to the mental side of our lives and to be free from materials that harbor or cultivate disease germs may mean the difference between life and death. Usually a clean up does not cost anything except some labor and the difference between a clean place and a filthy one is measured by how much laziness is around.

ONE PECULIAR thing about this "clean up" idea . . . it is quite common for persons who do not give a hang about their own premises to often remark about how clean some other little town looks. People who are accustomed to cleanliness take clean yards, alleys and streets as a matter of fact, without special mention. It is what one is not accustomed to that creates talk.

WHAT DO YOU THINK is the greatest problem in keeping a clean town? Is it live stock? Is it trespassing children? Is it the flat slope of streets? Is it the vacant lot? An unkempt face, person or street or town is at once condemned. What can I, YOU or WE do to make ourselves and our town measure higher?

HELP WANTED

The Herald would remind each and everyone, including the merchants, that it is necessary to get their copy into the office in time to set to type before press hour—help us a bit on this line folks, many interesting things often are left out for lack of time. Bring in your copy early to get the best attention.

SEVERAL HAMLIN PEOPLE ATTENDED K. M. A. THEATRE OPENING MONDAY NIGHT

From reports the opening of the KMA in Kemp City last Monday night by two Hamlin men was a success. From Hamlin the following went up to be present, and they found about 22 miles of mud and it took longer to get through the City than it did to go from Hamlin. Those going were: Mrs. B. S. Ferguson, Mrs. A. D. Ensey and little Miss Monnie Ann, Misses Adele Dixon, Monique Ferguson, Ernestine Weatherford, Myrtle Co-horn and Mrs. Ben S. Ferguson and Mrs. Metta Haines and Bryant Conner, Chief Operator at he Ferguson.

BEN TOWNLEY MARRIED A STAMFORD GIRL

Ben Townley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Townley, surprised his parents on Saturday night, March 19, by getting married to Miss Dorothy Young of Stamford. The ceremony took place at the home of Rev. Fielder in Anson.

Mrs. Townley is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Young of Stamford. Ben came to Hamlin when quite a young boy and has for the past two years been associated with his father here in the ice and produce business.

Protect your family, educate your children and free your wife of worry about financial responsibility in event of your premature death. See—B. B. CAMPBELL.

TOM ROACH DIED MONDAY AFTERNOON

Perhaps many Hamlin people did not know the quiet, pleasant old gentleman, who for about seven years was a familiar figure on Hamlin streets. His name was Thomas E. Roach. Death came to this kind old gentleman, Monday afternoon March 28, after about two weeks of illness. His only son, Willie Roach, of Belen, New Mexico was at his bedside.

Mr. Roach was three days past 82 years of age. He was born in Boston, Mass., March 25, 1856. Mr. Roach was a very quiet, unassuming man, one who had seen much of the world, and one who kept a pleasant face despite his loneliness. Not many knew him, but his acquaintanceship with one lasted. He was a member of the Church of Christ and was caretaker for the building.

Funeral services were held at the church Tuesday, with Minister Jackson of McCauley, in charge. The body was placed to rest in East Cemetery by the Barrow Company.

LAWN MOWERS sharpened at M. P. May's Furniture Store. (21-2p)

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JONES COUNTY W. M. U. HELD QUARTERLY MEETING

A Mission Study Institute was held Tuesday by the Jones County W. M. U. when they met in the First Baptist Church of Hamlin for the regular quarterly meeting in an all day session.

Devotional was given by Mrs. J. H. Littleton, a round table discussion, "Plans For Promoting Mission Study," was led by Mrs. George Flournoy, and a vocal solo was given by Mrs. W. C. Russell. Reports from presidents and chairmen were heard during the business session and the remainder of the time was given to study periods of Mission work, conducted by Mrs. P. D. O'Brien, Mrs. Ed Rowell, Mrs. Tate May, Mrs. Aubrey Foster and Mrs. J. R. Fielder.

At the noon hour a covered dish luncheon was served in the banquet room of the church and a delightful social hour was enjoyed.

Out of town guests who registered were Meses. G. G. Flournoy, Dick O'Brien, J. H. Gildon, J. M. Martin, T. A. Upshaw, Sam Crawford, W. E. Dobyns, Alton McClellan, C. R. Sims, Maurine Jackson, H. C. Michael Jr., Geo. T. Campbell, L. C. Dennis, M. S. Larche and Miss Lilius Penick of Stamford; Meses Bill Dunwoody, Otha Gray, Doss Harris, Ed Rowell, J. R. Kelly, J. H. Edmonds, T. A. Sides and J. T. Whaley of Anson; Meses. T. E. Tonroy, Edna Thomas and Bennie Dillard of Lueders; Meses. J. R. Fielder and W. S. Daniels of Abilene.

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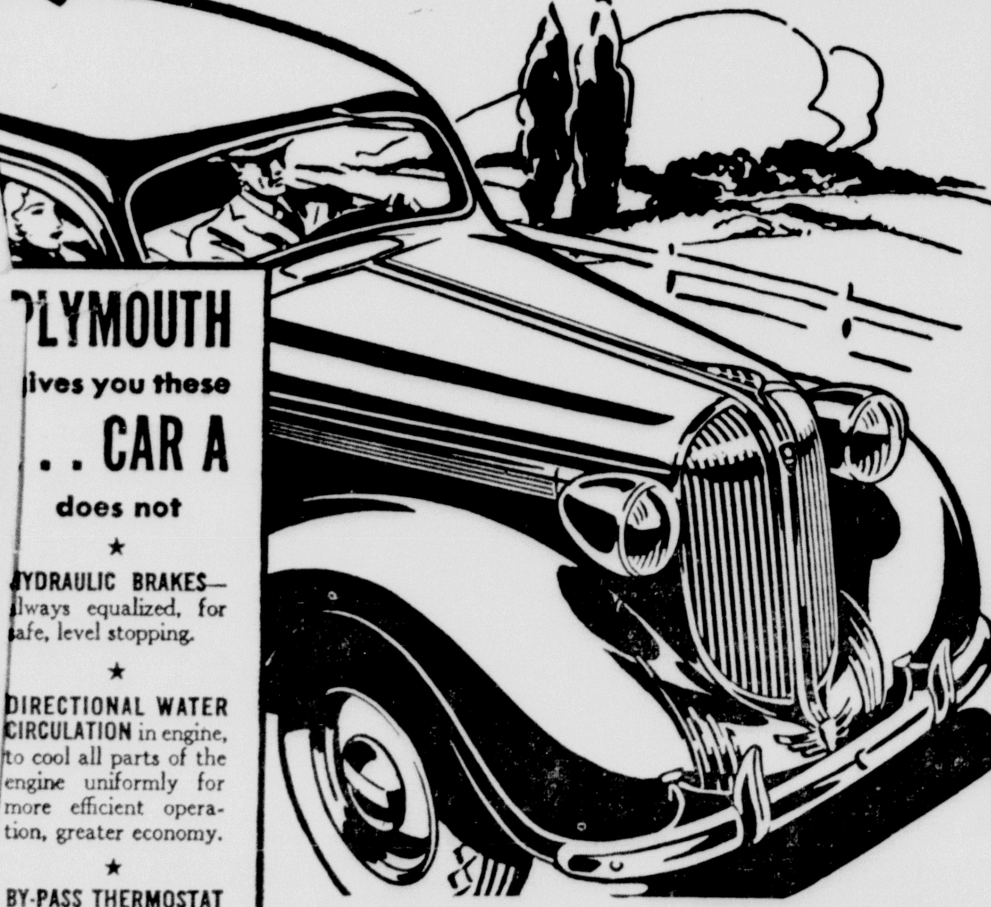
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by doris pope

Now with everything at our finger tips with just a click of a switch, we are inclined to take too much for granted. However, there are times when we are forced to stop and think what a world it would be without such conveniences—you know, we kinda' get a taste of the "good old days" that we hear dad and grand-dad talk about. That's what happened to Hamlin folks Saturday afternoon when the electric current was dead from 2:10 until 5:40.

Low, gray rain clouds made lights almost a necessity in order to carry on business, so when the current went off, the sale of candles increased a thousand per cent. We stayed in the dry goods stores awhile observing the effect of candle lights, and it struck us as rather amusing when people grabbed a bolt of material, a pair of socks or some other merchandise and ran to the front door, holding the article up and quinting, trying to see what color it really was—just like in the "good old days." (Maybe that will account for some of the terrorizing colors people are wearing.)

And the poor kids, how they did miss the Saturday afternoon picture show! It's really a shame that they didn't have some stereoscopic parlor pictures to look at like ma and pa used to—back in the "good old days."

We wandered over to two of our beauty shops and found dozens of women and girls draped on the floor, hairs and stools, literally sticking their heads in the fire to dry that new wave set. That reminded us of what happened to grandma in the "good old days" when she didn't shampoo her hair in the winter or in rainy weather; she

just rolled it up on curlers. We noticed the barber shops also felt the lack of electricity. You know back in the "good old days" they weren't bothered with all those little electric gadgets 'cause grandpa just turned a bowl down on pa's head and started cuttin'. The finishing touches were accomplished with the old blue and white shaving mug and razor.

We stopped in to see how the drug stores were making out with their frigidate motors stopped and their candle light. Some how or other they didn't seem too happy about it. Now we could rave on and on about this, but what's the use? Printing presses were stopped, bank machines halted, in fact, there wasn't a business house in Hamlin that did not feel great lack of electricity. And when the current finally did come on after three and a half hours, people gave whoops and hollers that made the Indians back in the "good old days" look like sissies. (No charge to the West Texas Utilities Co. for this spiel.)

A certain young lady in town is thinking of trading a farm for a drug store. Reason: young, handsome and eligible.

The social security man was in town Wednesday (if you hadn't heard) really giving some people fits and night mares.

A very attractive and popular blond young lady of our town, who has been away since early fall, is reported to have tied the matrimonial knot last Friday. (We have not been authorized to print this, so we won't call any names.) Congratulations and the very best of wishes for your happiness!

Tuesday night a very prominent business man got in a crap game with a man of a very dark complexion who completely "broke" him.

We notice that Gladewater re-

quested that two state Rangers be sent to their town unit after the city election, for fear of what might happen. Maybe we're not so tough after all.

See "Free Wheeling" Morgan about your car troubles—especially if there's something wrong with the gears.

While eating with his wife and daughter in a cafe the other night, a certain well known dry goods manager shocked everyone by his strange combination of foods when he poured cocoa cola on his steak.

Mrs. Cleve Dunn is seen around town these days in a brand new Oldsmobile.

Canada hasn't got anything on us, 'cause Hamlin has some quintuplets, too. If you haven't met Twinkle's family, you've missed one of the cutest families in town—yep, five Boston Bull pups. They've been christened Dude, Spot, Twinklette, Dotty and Beau.

We forgot to mention last week that we had been to jail—voluntarily of course. In all of our life we had never been in the Anson jail until about two weeks ago when the jailor was kind enough to take us through and explain all the gadgets and all the points of interest. We must confess that we were a little surprised, because it didn't follow the descriptions. We thought jails had to be dirty, but we found the Anson jail to be exceptionally clean and well-kept and the prisoners didn't look desperate at all. However, we don't think we would like to stay there long.

The loud snores in the show Tuesday night came from a prominent farmer-rancher who was catching up on his beauty sleep. (It has been suggested that he sleep two years.)

THE LAKES AND OTHERWISE

I have received many warm congratulations from people in and around Hamlin, relative to the article that appeared in the Herald some time ago, relative to the future policies of our Lakes, and I am sure that the great majority of our people are in hearty accord with my suggestion. But have nothing to say at this time, only that I stand committed to one or two things.

First, open our lakes to our people to enjoy, without any restriction or close them to everyone alike.

Now a word relative to OUR PARKS and OTHER ATTRACTIONS

I want to go on record as one being in favor of giving more attention to the pleasure of our young people. We are not co-operating with our young people like other towns are around us, and as a result, many of our people are drifting into the more wide-awake towns for their past-times. Not so many years ago, I was a red blooded leather-headed boy myself. Well, I am not old yet, but not quite so young. I was quite a ball fan, but I never played a game on the Sabbath Day. I am prone to believe that if we would help make it possible for our boys to have their games at night, they would discontinue Sunday ball games. Most of our young people are employed during the day, and Sunday afternoon is their only time off. Then too, our business men would enjoy getting out at nights for a little recreation and breathe the pure ozone that the out-doors affords us. So, boys, if this appeals to you, we will assist you in raising the finances to properly light up the Ball Park and open up for baseball and soft ball games, and for other amusements.

DR. L. P. McCRARY.

BOYD CHAPEL CHIRPS

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Flenniken and baby of Hamlin visited with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Cornelius, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Delmer Estes returned home Friday from Abilene where he had been at work for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Pope spent Sunday with Mrs. Eldon Pope.

Mrs. N. J. Rainwater was honored with a bridal shower on last Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Tarver of Carpenter Gap. Those attending from our community were Mrs. Brown Rainwater, Mrs. George Rainwater and daughter Lottie, Mrs. L. F. Young and Mrs. Earl Brown. Refreshments consisted of cookies

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We Prefer Local Mutual Aid Laws

as they confine us to smaller territory where we have many sources to get accurate information before issuing policies.

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prompt statements that are truthful, so that statements made on Death Certificates will not conflict in settlement of claims. We like to know personally the people with whom we deal, and this can be done only in a limited territory.

We Feel That If We Conduct Our Business

honestly, that we can secure sufficient business within this given territory. If we have to leave our nearby territory to get business, you could wonder why.

There Is Always a Greater Personal Interest

in our friends, than in those whom we have never seen or never expect to see. We investigate carefully before we issue policies, rather than take your money and hunt reasons to keep from paying, or to make a compromise settlement, through conflicting information, that might be obtained after death.

Our Rates Are Approved

by the State as being adequate, yet they do not carry as heavy "loading expense" as many others.

We try in every way to render a distinct personal service. We find most every one appreciative of every favor, yet we are human and can make mistakes, but we gladly correct them when we discover them.

It is our desire to be of greater service to the people of this territory and to render them the assistance they will need at some time. We know our rates are most reasonable, and are adequate for safe protection.

We are in business for your protection, and we do not believe that you will regret any business relations with us.

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BIGGER and MORE LUXURIOUS THAN ANY PREVIOUS FORD V-8!

See how fine these new cars are—then ask yourself, "Why pay more?"

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EQUIPMENT INCLUDED
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2 bumpers • 4 bumper guards • 2 tail lights • 2 windshield wipers • 2 sun visors • 2 electric air horns • 1 cigar lighter • 3 ash trays • spare tire, tube and lock • glove compartment, lock and clock • headlight beam indicator • De Luxe steering wheel • rustless steel wheel bands • heat indicator • built-in luggage compartment • oil bath air cleaner.

THE NEW DE LUXE FORD V-8

Society and Clubs:

**MISS MARCELLE JONES
AND MR. J. L. CARRUTHERS
RECITE WEDDING VOWS
IN LAKE CHARLES, LA.**

Announcement has been received this week of the marriage of Miss Marcelle Jones, of Hamlin, and Mr. J. L. Carruthers, of Baton Rouge, Louisiana, which took place Friday evening, March 25, in Lake Charles, Louisiana. The ceremony was read by the pastor of the First Methodist church of that city.

The bride wore a becoming dress of blue crepe with harmonizing accessories. Her flowers were a corsage of pink carnations.

Immediately after the ceremony and couple left for Beaumont, Texas and other points for a brief wedding trip.

Mrs. Carruthers is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Jones, of Hamlin. She was a teacher for two years in the Hamlin public schools, and preceding her marriage, she had spent several months in Denton, Texas, attending North Texas State Teachers College where she was doing a thesis in education.

Mrs. Carruthers is a salesman for the Hamlin and Company with headquarters in Baton Rouge, Louisiana, and he and his wife will make the difference home.

CLEANERS in the Hamlin public schools, and preceding her marriage, she had spent several months in Denton, Texas, attending North Texas State Teachers College where she was doing a thesis in education.

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cost of Mrs. O. G. HARVEY

SS TO CLUB

O. G. Harvey was hostess to the genial Kard Klub in her home afternoons with two tables set in play. An Easter party was used in game appointments and also appeared in the afternoon. High score was made by P. Yocham. Others playing were: Mmes. Frank Lawlis, Raynes, M. T. Hudson, J. M. Roy Holdridge, J. Frank and Hayes.

WATER HOSTESS

WH/

in Rainwater was hostess to the Busy Bee quilting club on Wednesday, March 23. A most pleasant day was spent in work and just being sociable, as there were so many present, every one could not get a place to quilt at the same time. Many new friends were made, three quilts were quilted and a very delicious lunch was served.

We were glad to welcome the following visitors: Mmes. W. M. Van Ness, J. A. Barnes, Buford Spradberry, C. A. Baucum Jr., J. D. Weatherby, T. W. Ashburn, A. B. Rainwater, N. H. Touchstone, Blanche Hodges, Myrtle Bost, Perry May, and Mrs. Nig Rainwater.

Members present were: Mmes. Marvin Carlton, Buren Carlton, Bert Comby, Banks Green, P. H. Beaumont, J. L. Treadwell, Johnny Agnew, J. T. Vaughn, Watters Fletcher, M. Harris, A. A. Oliver, O. L. Kins, H. C. Harber, Dave Herbst,

Urby Weaver, W. L. Fletcher, Hugh Jones, Elmer Joiner, and Mrs. Rainwater.

We go next to Mrs. H. C. Harbers. Let's all try to go as spring is here and the days are warm and long enough to get lots of quilting done.

PARTY HONORS

MRS. WORTHAM CROW

Mrs. Ross Kemp and Mrs. Alfred Dutton were joint hostesses for a lovely party when they entertained in the home of Mrs. Kemp at Boyd Chapel, honoring Mrs. Wortham Crow, a recent bride.

A Saint Patrick motif was cleverly featured in decoration and favors. The beautiful handmade brides book which was presided over by Mrs. D. L. Estes was fashioned as a shamrock. A toast to the bride was given by Mrs. L. G. Cozzens.

Following the games an attractive refreshment plate was passed to the honoree, Mrs. Wortham Crow. Mmes. Judge Crow, Eric Crow, Ollie Estes, D. L. Estes, John Cornelius, Bernice Mayberry, Ruby Flenniken, R. L. Milstead, J. P. Bingham, Charlie Bingham, Claudie Bingham, Mattie Lou Ruben, Ruby Lammon, B. D. Bingham, W. D. Bristow, G. W. Bristow, Earl Brown, V. R. Kelly, Lawrence Hally, E. D. Pope, Irene Taylor, O. C. Haught, Luther Haught, W. K. Whittenberg, J. H. Allen, Lee Ward, Charlie Young, Thomps Young, Travis Hubbard, George Rainwater, Foote, L. F. Cozzens, Sam Tindall, J. N. Flood and W. S. Henslee.

Misses Edna Maude Crow, Mildred Young, Cloveta Estes, Robbie Cornelius, Polly Kelly, Lottie Rainwater, Filera Kelly, Adele Foote, Willard Bristow, Yvonne Young, Kathryn Bristow, Jacqueline Hall, Etta Eugene and Mary K. Ward, Charlotte Pope, Hilda and Billie Ruth Hubbard and Veatrice Bingham.

MRS. HAROLD BONNER HOSTESS

TO STITCH AND CHATTER CLUB

Mrs. Harold Bonner was the charming hostess for the Stitch and Chatter Club on Thursday afternoon. The living room was bedecked with bouquets of yard grown snapdragon and verbenas.

The newly elected officers who took office at this meeting were: president, Mrs. Bonner, vice-president, Mrs. Jno. Vaughan; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Cherry; reporter, Mrs. Gordon Bennett.

The afternoon was spent in a business session, discussion of roll calls, sewing and visiting. A refreshment plate of cake and ice cream was served to the following club members and guests: Mmes. Joe McCrary, R. B. Wiar, Herman McBride, Jack Miles, W. T. Cherry, Ray Jones, Gordon Bennett, Eddie Jay, Roy Gilbreath, Turner Beard, Z. T. Wilson, D. F. Park, W. R. Wil-

kerson and Miss Temple.

The club adjourned to meet next time with Mrs. Cherry.

—Reporter.

**MRS. CHARLIE BRANTON
HONORED WITH SHOWER**

Mrs. Tom Williams and Mrs. Loy Fry were joint hostesses Monday evening when they entertained a group of friends with a surprise shower, complimenting Mrs. Charlie Branton, who will leave this week for Abilene, where she and Mr. Branton will make their home.

Guests assembled at the home of Mrs. Williams and went in a body to the Branton home where they presented Mrs. Branton a dinner service of beautiful Poppytrail ware in assorted colors.

Homemade candy was served by the hostesses as refreshments.

The guest list included Mmes. J. Frank Johnson, Mac Brundage, Dick Moore, Grogan Turner, W. T. Cherry, Fred B. Moore, Mart Farrow, J. D. Burk, Clint Ferrell, Ross Fomby, T. R. Tegart, L. B. Bruner, J. Ubben and Jack Miles.

Classified Ads

CASH COTTON SEED

Have some mighty good, high Cash cotton seed from first year seed caught from 7 to 10 bales at a time. Seed culled by Baize Bros. \$1.00 per bu. D. J. HERBST. (22-p)

QUALLA COTTON SEED

Have some good Qualla cotton seed from picked cotton, culled, kept pure in the field and at the gin. 75c per bu. at my place between McCaulley and Royston. See or address—ERNEST WEBB, McCaulley. (21-2p)

CANE SEED

I have a lot of the Ashburn quality cane seed or the 4 ft. kind, free of Johnson grass, for sale at my place on the Staton farm south of Hamlin. A. S. JOINER (21-2p)

CASH COTTON

Some extra good Cash Cotton Seed, second year seed, carefully ginned, rolls thrown. These seed have been graded. D. L. BRISTOW (21-3p)

4 1/2 miles southeast of Hamlin on Route 1.

WANTED WORK on farm or nursing sick or cripples. Can give best of reference. Address C. C. BURNETT, Hamlin, Texas or call at Bates Tourist Camp, south Hamlin.

FINE COTTON SEED

Have for sale some fine ACALA, 5 lock big hole, one inch to one and one-eighth staple. \$1.00 per bushel. See: J. M. GREENWAY, Jones Feed Store. (20-4p)

MILCH COW—Have an A-1 Jersey milch cow, fresh, a real producer, for sale. See me at the Sinclair Station, north of Herald Office. R. S. DEAN.

SEED PEAS

Have several hundred pounds Blackeye peas. \$4.00 per hundred while they last. B. B. CALDWELL (21-2p)

A BUNDLE of scratch pads come in handy—Get them at the Herald Office.—500 sheets for 25c

LANKART COTTON SEED

Pedigreed—First year—one year old—first year—one year here. Also Sudan seed recleaned. L. W. EZELL. Back of bank (20-6t)

COTTON SEED—Texas Special, recleaned 1 1/2 cent per pound at my home 2 miles west of Neinda. J. A. LEE. (22-2p)

FOR SALE—

White cane seed and Sudan seed, free from Johnson grass, at my farm or Albritton Grocery. E. C. DAVIS (19-5p)

600 bushel of BRYANT MEBANE COTTON SEED—run one year, ginned in four bales at a time. \$1.00 per bushel.—W. B. BROWNLEE, McCaulley, Texas. (22-3p)

HIGHWAY GARAGE

Have opened the Highway Garage and will do tractor and auto repair work. Formerly with John T. Day & Son.

BUD (Bones) STEWART (22-2p)

Grass is getting green. Let M. P. May sharpen your lawn mower. (21-2p)

RUBBER STAMPS are often needed—Give the Herald your orders—2 days to deliver.

MEBANE SEED FOR SALE—I have Mebane Cotton seed from pedigreed last season, gin roll dropped and culled. Get'em 5 miles southwest of Hamlin—90c bu. for cash. JAMES E. BAILEY.

JACK FOR SERVICE—Have a good black Mammoth Jack for service at my place, one mile west of Neinda. Season \$7.50, with \$2.50 down payment.—CHARLIE GREGORY.

COTTON SEED FOR SALE
I have 800 bu. First Year Texas Special Cotton Seed for sale, 90 cents per bu. cash, at my farm. FED H. BRITTON. (20-4p)

JERSEYS

11 fresh Jersey cows, T. B. and Bangs tested. Will sell Saturday. S. M. LAWSON, Owner.—Jones Barn—Hamlin.

When You Feel Sluggish (Constipated)

Take a dose or two of Black-Draught. Feel fresh for a good day's work.

Work seems easier, life pleasanter, when you are really well—free from the bad feelings and dullness often attending constipation.

For nearly a century, Black-Draught has helped to bring prompt, refreshing relief from constipation. Thousands of men and women rely on it.

BLACK-DRAUGHT

A GOOD LAXATIVE

**FERGUSON
THEATRE**
Hamlin, Texas.

Friday Night

APRIL 1st.

"TOVARICH"

One of the OUTSTANDING pictures of the Season.

A Comedy without precedent—

CLAUDETTE COBERT
CHARLES BOYER

BASIL RATHBONE

ANITA LOUISE

Plus Selected Shorts

**Sat. Matinee and
Night 2 big features**

"Prairie Thunder"

With:—DICK FORAN

"You're Only

Young Once"

—LEWIS STONE

—MICKEY ROONEY

—PLUS COMEDY—

"JUNGLE MENACE"

With:—FRANK BUCK

**SAT NIGHT PREVIEW
Sunday—Monday**

CLAUDETTE COBERT

GARY COOPER IN—

**"BLUEBEARD'S
EIGHTH WIFE"**

GARY took her for his BRIDE
—CLAUDETTE took him for a RIDE!

Tuesday—Wed.

"THE BARRIER"

WITH:—JEAN PARKER

LEO CARRILLO,

JIMMY ELLISON

CHAS. BICKFORD

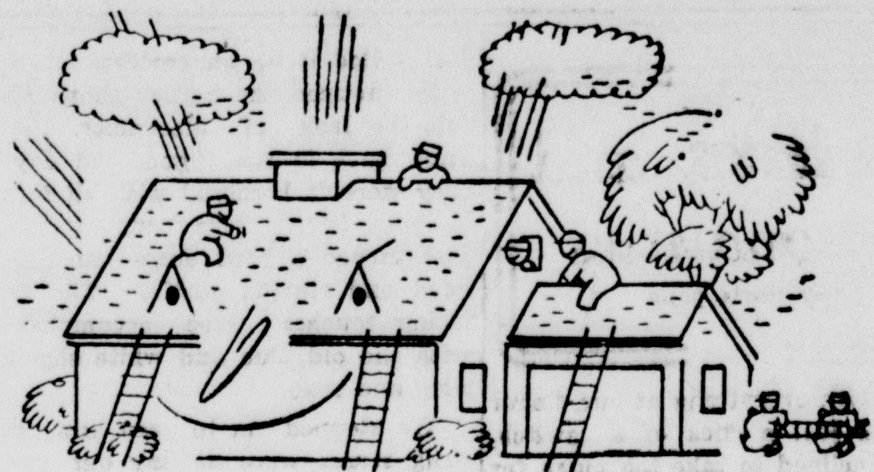
Plus Selected Shorts

Coming:

"THRILL OF A LIFETIME"
APRIL 7-8

"A YANK AT OXFORD"

APRIL 9-10—Preview April 8



**GIVE A NEW FACE
TO THE OLD HOUSE**

SHERWIN-WILLIAMS
SWP HOUSE PAINT

A COAT or two of Sherwin-Williams SWP House Paint—that's giving the old homestead a real beauty treatment! And you'll find that beauty far more than skin deep... SWP gives thorough, longer-lasting protection. Costs less to use, too. In every gallon of SWP there's more square feet of paint... paint that spreads and covers as only top quality paint can.

MONEY-SAVING VALUES!

S-W FLO-LAC

Stains and varnishes in one operation. Restores color, adds a fine, long-wearing, rich gloss. Dries quickly. Water resistant. For floors, furniture, etc.

S-W SEMI-LUSTRE

The wall finish that washes as easily as your chin! For bathrooms, kitchens, woodwork, stairways, halls. 12 smart colors.

S-W FLOOR WAX

No rubbing, no polishing when you use S-W Floor Wax... It's self-polishing! For finished wood, linoleum, composition floors. Keeps them bright—easy to clean.

SHERWIN-WILLIAMS PAINT HEADQUARTERS

Rockwell Bros & Co.

Hamlin, Texas

Phone 76

LADIES, ATTENTION

PRE-EASTER SALE:

HATS—See our window display Friday and Saturday.

1 lot, choice \$2.49

1 lot, choice \$1.89

SPECIAL SALE on DRESSES—We have a few attractive numbers in printed crepe, with light weight wool jackets, to close out—These are new. See them at once. —Also have a few Suits and coats at greatly reduced prices. Several good numbers in this lot.

BLOUSES—All wanted shades, styles and sizes to wear with that new Spring Suit—Special price—Your choice \$1.89

COSTUME JEWELRY—Latest styles in necklaces, clips, bracelets, lockets etc. Choice \$1.00

THE ROSE SHOPPE — PHONE 59

LA JUNTA ORGANIZED

BY SPANISH STUDENTS

Monday afternoon the Spanish students of Hamlin High School, under the direction of Miss Doris Pope, organized a Spanish club. The name chosen for the organization is La Junta.

The following officers were elect-

ed: Clara Louise Shelburne, president; Frances Fannin, vice-president; Peggy Jane Teague, secretary-treas.; Grace Thomas, reporter, Mary Jane Jones, song leader; Eloise Adkins, assistant song leader; Geneva Jo Ma-berry, pianist.

The purpose of La Junta is to promote a better understanding of the Spanish speaking people and to stimulate interest in the Spanish language. The club will become a permanent organization of the school and will be sponsored by the Spanish department.

Members of La Junta will present a program in observance of Pan American Day in the high school auditorium, Tuesday, April 12. Mrs. Turner Bynum, Jr., will be guest speaker for that day.

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—HAMLIN TEXAS—

Announcing Change of Business

We would like for all our friends to know that we have purchased the Bullard Service Station, just north of the Britton Gin.

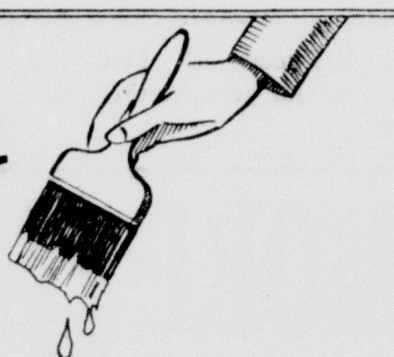
We assure everyone that this station will continue to handle the very best of gasolenes, oil and accessories and we promise our service will be all that any car owner may wish.

We solicit at least a part of your business.

—MRS. B. F. DYE.

FROM THE FIRST DIP . . .

*Begin
Right*



Whether you are building a garage, planning a trip or painting a house, it's important to begin right.

**LINCOLN
Climatic
UNIVERSAL PRIMER**

is the right beginning for a good house paint job. It seals the surface making it uniform so that subsequent coats of house paint will hide evenly and wear uniformly well. Ask for free folder about this new and better way to paint your home.

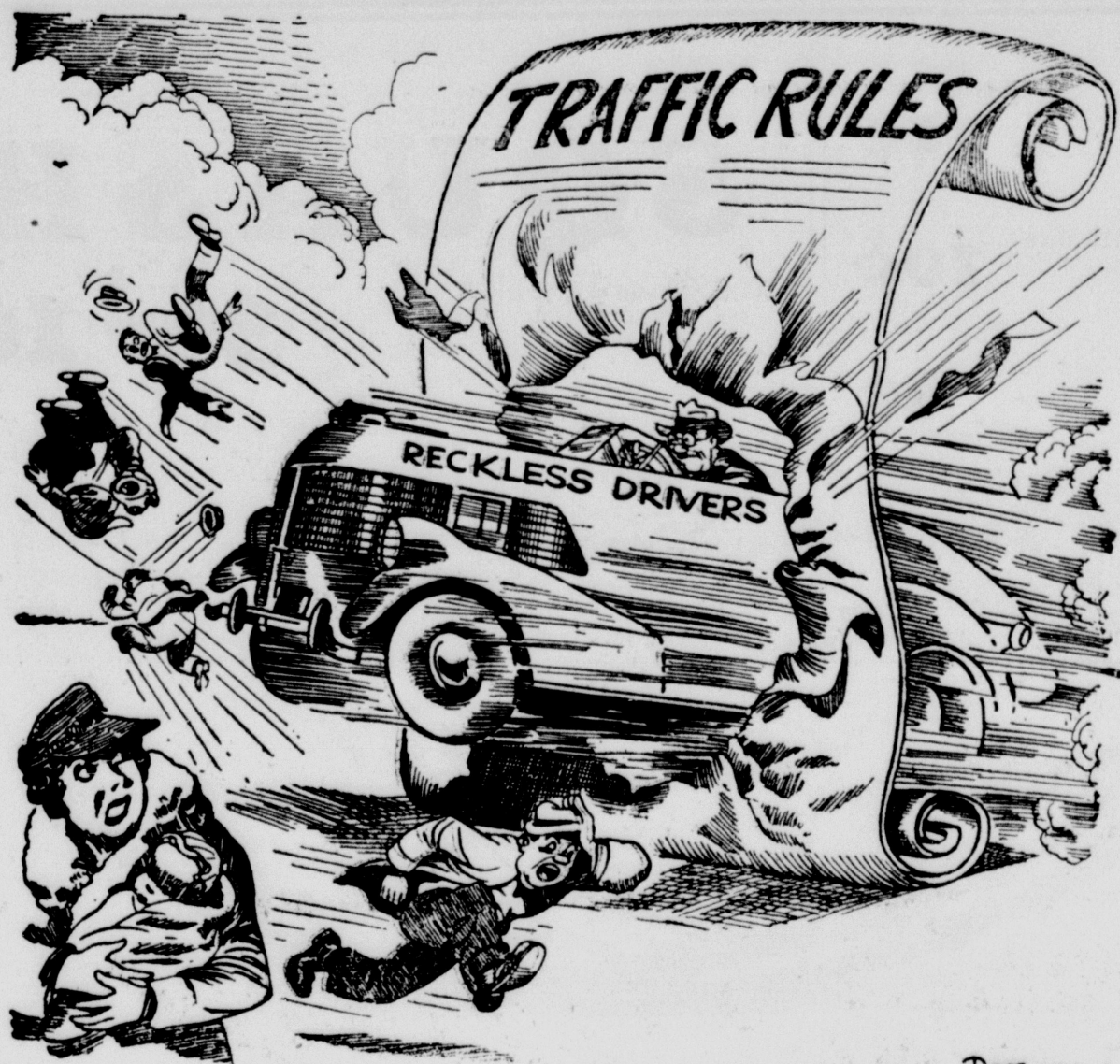
LINCOLN PAINT PRODUCTS
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HOME LUMBER CO.

Phone 43

"Building Materials"

"Home Boys"



SAFETY DAY SAT. APRIL 9

The adjoining picture again calls attention to the dire need for a better cooperative spirit in city, county, state and nation, with regard to the automobile traffic problem which has reached a point where such a spirit is absolutely necessary for safety on the highways.

Saturday, April 9, has been designated as "Safety Day" in Hamlin and everyone is cordially invited to be here that day to see the feature attraction of the safety day program.

The Hamlin Chamber of Commerce has arranged for the personal appearance of Jack LeDay, world's foremost daredevil, who has gained nation-wide distinction and is known in the theatrical world as Jack O' Diamonds, Jr. His family tree means much, his family and ancestors were daredevils before him, and his father, at the age of 53, did the death-defying act of testing one of the first hydraulic brakes that was ever used in a head-on collision.

There is nothing "safe" about the show that Jack will present. The reason it is so applicable to a safety day program is that, according to Jack, he and his company are much safer in their acts, breath-taking as they are, than those who drive in automobiles on the highways, so long as the present conditions exist.

The big show that will be presented here Saturday, is absolutely free to everyone, being made possible by the cooperation of a number of local business men, and the Chamber of Commerce.

Jack and his company are incorporated as the Diamond Aerial Advertisers, and have shown all over the world; in every large city in the United States, and 5 foreign countries. They have mystified America and amazed Europe.

Jack has performed before statesmen and foreign diplomats, as he will here, his amazing and interesting "Escape from Death." This means that he will be tied in a regulations strait jacket and locked with 28-ft. of rope and 35-ft. of chain, tied securely by four healthy, able-bodied men.

His chief diets are bread and milk as he states these foods are the staff of life. To do his death-defying stunts he must keep in the best of health, so to young and old he advises: drink plenty of pure, good milk and eat plenty of bread. Watch for next week's ad in The Herald—read what bread and dairy products he has endorsed.

One thing about this famed daredevil advertiser, he will not advertise anything for health that he does not find would be healthful for the young folks, and he is regarded as another Nurni. He has had thousands of dollars offered to him to endorse whiskey and wines, but will not do so, he says he has no disregard for anyone that drinks liquor but he can't drink it and keep in health. He states in coming to Hamlin that the four members of his company feel the same way as he, for he will not keep any kind of employe in his company.

Jack and his pretty co-ed sister, Betty, have shown over the larger part of the United States with their death-defying stratasphere dance, in

which they danced on the world's smallest ballroom floor which is only 30 inches in diameter, and is erected on a 50, 75 or 100 foot pole above the roof of the tallest building in the cities they are booked in.

They come to our city with thousands of letters of recommendation from leading organizations, such as chambers of commerce, retail merchants associations, clubs and safety councils, that have sponsored and endorsed their acts; and from thousands of satisfied firms that have advertised with them on their sound cars.

These state that the medium has gotten them results that Jack and his men give plenty of broadcasting time to the specials the merchants contract to be broadcast. In fact, they are recommended to do all they say and more, too. The revenue of the famed daredevil company is from the sound car advertising that each sponsoring merchant has, and a sign on the fire-wall, and announcements from the sound car, his official Ford V-8 which covers the trade area and are known as "The Voice."

Saturday, April 9 is the date for the sensational feature of this famed daredevil doing his "Escape from Death" and his death-defying act of driving his official car thru a blazing wall made of lumber from one of the local lumber companies which will be blazing and saturated with his official gasoline.

Here is a chance to win five gallons of gasoline. Write an essay of 25 words or more, naming his official gasoline, and in your own words tell why he uses that brand and why you use it. There are no strings tied to this contest, young and old can send these essays in to Jack LeDay at Chamber of Commerce and the winning essay will be presented with 5-gallons of his official gasoline free.

Watch the Herald next week for more about Jack LeDay and his Safety Day.

Gas Gas All Time

Mrs. Jas. Miller says: "Gas on my stomach was so bad I couldn't eat or sleep. Gas even pressed on my heart. Adlerika brought me quick relief. Now, I eat as I wish, sleep fine, never felt better."

ADLERIKA

WAGONER DRUG CO.
INZER PHARMACY

P. T. A. PROGRAM WILL BE
GIVEN THURSDAY EVENING

The Rythm Band, Choral Club, Expression pupils and accordion numbers will be given on Elementary P. T. A. program at Elementary building, Thursday, April 7. The public is invited.

WANTED

YOUNG LADIES — Free to Travel. MUST have personality, good health, athletically inclined, able to meet public, neat dressers, age 18 to 25.

Out door advertising features. See
JACK LeDAY

Model Hotel Hamlin
Between hrs. 7 to 9, P. M., Fri. and Sat.

Phone For Appointment.

Political Announcements

Below are the names of candidates who have announced for public office in Jones County, subject to the action of the Democratic Primaries of 1938. All names are listed according to the numerical order in which they were delivered to this office.

FOR SHERIFF:

BILL DUNWODY
IRVIN SANDERS
TOM HUDSON

FOR COUNTY TREASURER:

FRANK POWELL (2nd term)

FOR COUNTY CLERK:

GEO. O. HARRELL (Re-election)

FOR TAX ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR

ROLAND L. DUNWODY
(Re-election)
BURT DEAN

FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY:

GILBERT SMITH (Re-election)

FOR COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT

RUBEN I. McLEROY
EARL E. ISBILL (2nd term)
B. T. BEAVER.

FOR DISTRICT CLERK:

ROBERT CROSS (Re-election)
FRED HARPER

FOR COMMISSIONER

Precinct No. 1—Jones Co.
JOHN C. TURNER (Re-election)
J. C. HARWELL

FOR COUNTY JUDGE:

OMAR BURLESON (Re-election)

CANE SEED

I have a lot of the Ashburn quality cane seed or the 4 ft. kind, free of Johnson grass, for sale at my place on the Stanton farm south of Hamlin. A. S. JOINER 21-2p

Health

Not only the BEST TIME, but really the ONLY TIME to take care of your HEALTH is NOW —One's most precious possession, HEALTH, should be guarded ALWAYS.

"PREVENTION" Should be the Watchword.

THE CHIROPRACTIC HEALTH SERVICE:

Treating:—
ACUTE, CHRONIC and
NERVOUS DISEASES
(No charge for examination.)

CHIROPRACTIC, DIET,
MASSAGE,
ELECTO-THERAPY

Make your appointment for—
BETTER HEALTH NOW.

Dr. C. H. ELLIOTT
D. C. Ph. C.

MORGAN HOTEL
HAMLIN
PHONE 78—

Uncommon Americans

By Elmo Scott Watson

Man With Branded Hand

IN EVERGREEN cemetery in Muskegon, Mich., stands a monument which bears the inscription "Capt. Walker's Branded Hand" and below it a bas-relief of an open hand with the letters "S. S." on the heel of the thumb. This monument recalls one of the stirring incidents of pre-Civil war days and marks the grave of a man who played a part in bringing on that conflict.

Capt. Jonathan Walker was a Massachusetts sea captain and in 1844 was engaged in coastwise trade. Hating negro slavery, Walker tried to help seven blacks, who had fled from a Florida plantation, escape to the Bahamas. He was arrested, brought to Pensacola, tried as a thief in federal court and found guilty. He was sentenced to be branded on the right hand with the letters "S. S." (slave stealer), to stand in the pillory one hour, be imprisoned fifteen days and pay a fine of \$150.

After the first part of the sentence had been carried out, he was led again into the courthouse. Ordered to put his hand on the post of the railing in front of the judge's bench, Walker protested when the marshal bound it fast to the post. He declared that he could hold it firm during the ordeal, but his protest was ignored and the branding took place.

After his release from prison, Walker went back to his home in Massachusetts to find himself a hero and a martyr. John Greenleaf Whittier wrote a poem in which he besought Walker to hold his branded right hand aloft for all the world to see. Abolitionist leaders recognized in the incident a potent argument for their cause. Accompanied by a fugitive slave he traveled through the North and lectured on the evils of slavery.

"The Man with the Branded Hand" became a famous figure and he did much to arouse the North and put it in a receptive frame of mind for Harriet Beecher Stowe's "Uncle Tom's Cabin" as a faithful picture of the horrors of slavery. In the '50's Walker and his family moved to Wisconsin and a few years later bought a small fruit farm in Michigan. There he lived during the remainder of his days and there he died in 1878, an almost forgotten figure who had played no little part in bringing on the greatest civil war in history.

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Mrs. J. W. Griffin and daughter, Mrs. D. A. Brown returned Wednesday from Dallas and Waco where they visited Mrs. Griffin's mother and other relatives.

Curiosa Americana

By Elmo Scott Watson

"Here Lies—"

VISIT Cape Ann, Mass. and in a cemetery there you'll find a headstone with this inscription: "Here Lies the Body of Boatwain Allen Whose Body Was Lost at Sea." The explanation for this paradoxical statement is this: Boatwain Allen's body really was lost at sea. When his relatives commissioned a headstone-maker to prepare a memorial shaft for the vanished seaman, he began it "Here Lies the Body—" because he always began the inscriptions on headstones thus and didn't know any other way. So they just let him go ahead.

A somewhat similar situation is reported by an American traveler abroad who gleaned this epitaph from a headstone in an English cemetery:

Beneath these cold and silent stones Lie the remains of Samuel Jones. His name was really Smith, not Jones, But we changed his name to rhyme with stones.

No such difficulty, however, was experienced by the man who engraved an epitaph for a former slave who is buried near Savannah, Ga. It says:

Here lies old Rastus Somminy Died a-eating hominy In '59, anno domini.

But A. D. gets a different interpretation in this epitaph, found in a Connecticut graveyard, even though the second rhyme is a bit lame:

Here lies cut down like unripe fruit The wife of Deacon Amos Shute; She died of drinking too much coffee Anny Dominy eighteen forty.

What must have been a thrilling incident in frontier history is compressed into this laconic statement on a block of sandstone which stood for many years near the old Buffalo Trace in Indiana. It said:

Here lies Dick Elliott. He was skulped by a injun. I skulped the injun.

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Heavy 1938 Grasshopper Loss Feared

COTTONSEED HULLS GOOD CARRIER IN STANDARD POISON MASH

Cottonseed hulls are an effective and inexpensive carrier for use in the standard poison bran mash to control grasshoppers, according to Extension Service entomologists.

In many grasshopper-infested areas, hulls are more widely available and less expensive than other commonly used carriers for the poison.

Early control measures to prevent serious grasshopper damage this summer and fall are urged by the Department of Agriculture, Extension Services, and other agencies. Serious grasshopper infestations are expected in Arizona, Arkansas, California, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Texas, and other States, reports the Department.

A standard poison mash recommended by the Texas and Oklahoma Extension Services is: Cottonseed hulls 50 pounds; bran 50 pounds; sodium arsenite 2 quarts (4 pounds per gallon); and water 10 to 12 gallons.

Another formula used successfully in Oklahoma is: Cottonseed hulls 75 pounds; shorts 20 pounds; sodium

arsenite 2 quarts; molasses 1 gallon; water 11 gallons.

Cottonseed hulls may be used to replace up to 50 per cent of the wheat bran in any of the poison mashes commonly used for grasshoppers, entomologists say. Cottonseed hull bran, or ground cottonseed hulls, may also be used, but Oklahoma tests show little difference in the efficiency of ground and unground hulls.

Cheapness and availability are two advantages listed for the use of cottonseed hulls.

Commenting on results of the 1937 campaign in Oklahoma, Professor F. A. Fenton of Oklahoma A. & M. College said:

"The value of cottonseed hulls as a carrier for grasshopper poison when used with bran or shorts seems to be definitely demonstrated, and they can be recommended whenever bran is too costly or sawdust can not be obtained. It appears that in the Cotton Belt a new product is available which may be used in the war on grasshoppers, army worms and possibly some other pests."

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Effect of New Legislation On Cotton Price Adjustment Program

Numerous reports have been received that producers are being urged to sell their equity or interest in their loan cotton in order to be eligible for a cotton price adjustment payment on loan cotton. The sale or transfer of the producer-borrower's equity or interest is not necessary for such a purpose since the new Farm Act provides that cotton otherwise eligible for a payment which is in the loan on June 30, 1938, will be eligible for payment based on the amount by which the price of cotton on the 10 spot cotton markets is below 12 cents per pound on that day. Furthermore, the new act directs that the maturity date on all cotton loan notes be extended of July 31, 1939. The maturity date was originally July 31, 1938. The only way cotton which has been placed under the loan can be sold so as to be counted as eligible for a cotton price adjustment payment is for the producer to pay the loan in full before selling the cotton. Any sale attempted while the cotton is subject to the loan would not be a sale of the cotton but only a sale of the right to benefit in whatever proceeds might remain after the loan has been paid in full with all carrying charges. Persons who have been buying such so-called equities cannot obtain any benefit therefrom since the loan agreement provides that any holder of the note is bound to turn over to the producer-borrower any amount realized on the sale of the cotton covered by the note remaining after payment of loan and all interest and carrying charges. "Producers desiring to transfer the title to their cotton on the Commodity Credit Corporation in accordance with the provisions of Section 381 (b) of the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938 should give careful consideration to the manner in which their interests will be affected before actually making such transfer. This section of the farm bill provides that before July 1, 1938, any producer may transfer his right, title, and interest in loan cotton to the Commodity Credit Corporation and directs the Corporation to accept it and to assume all obligations of the producer with respect to the loan on the cotton transferred. The Corporation is then directed to notify the Secretary of Agriculture of the cotton so transferred to it and the Secretary of Agriculture is directed to pay to producers a sum equal to 2 cents per pound on the cotton they transferred to the Corporation; the amount so paid to be deducted from any price adjustment payment to which they are entitled. Since no

appropriation has been provided out of which these payments can be made directly, it follows necessarily that a cotton producer who transfers his loan cotton to the Corporation pursuant to this provision cannot receive the 2 cent payment unless he is entitled to a cotton price adjustment payment pursuant to the provisions of the Third Deficiency Appropriation Act, fiscal year 1937, as amended by Section 381 (a) of the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938. These provisions require a producer to comply with the 1938 cotton program in order to obtain a cotton price adjustment payment. It will, therefore, be impossible for a producer to obtain any cotton price adjustment payment to which he is entitled at an earlier date by surrendering title to his loan cotton and receiving the equivalent of 2 cents per pound on the amount of loan cotton so transferred; nor will a producer be able to obtain any larger payment than he will otherwise receive without such a transfer of the title to his cotton. On the other hand, producers who transfer the title to their cotton to the Commodity Credit Corporation will lose all opportunity to benefit from an advance in the price of cotton above the loan rate. Furthermore, they will lose any premium which might otherwise accrue to them by reason of the fact that their cotton may grade out of a higher basis than that established as a basis for loans. Since the cotton loans are made without recourse against the producer if he complies with the provisions of the 1937 loan agreement, a producer will not incur any obligation to the government by reason of his failure to transfer title to loan cotton to the Commodity Credit Corporation.

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WASHINGTON NEWS

FROM CONGRESSMAN
CLYDE L. GARRETT

CALENDARS CROWDED

As the 75th Congress starts the midway stretch of the final session, it appears that much work is ahead for them. Major legislation is piling up, with much more to come. Speed is being urged by leaders so that Congressmen may return home for the primaries.

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EXTENSION OF LOANS IN NEW BILL

A bill was introduced providing for two years extension of the 3½ per day, and interest rate on Federal Land Bank loans. Beginning July 1, 1940, that rate would jump to 4 per cent and order for one year. Also provided in the bill is a 4 per cent interest rate on clean Federal Land Bank Commissioners' title loans for two years from enactment.

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WHEELER-LEA BILL—Congress has completed action on the Wheeler-Lea bill strengthening the police powers of the Federal Trade Commission. 60 days after Presidential approval the act goes into effect.

is all the time the business men to revise any selling practices might have deceived the public that may be unfair methods of competition. According to the new FTC may issue a complaint against any practice that it may be to be unfair or deceptive, in essence. Previously the FTC was called to wait for an interested party to make an objection to a practice.

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EF COSTS—The five year, \$7 inclusive) cost to the Federal Government of relief, public works and emergency public works was approximately \$5,085,000,000, a grand total of approximately \$19,303,000,000.

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LARGE SCALE BUILDING AIDED

Any firms or persons contemplating the construction of buildings for groups of families may benefit from the new Federal Housing Act. The program is divided into two main parts in order to expedite the so-called multi-family and group housing program of the Federal Housing Administration. First, aid to encourage any group of citizens or individual citizen, private corporations, associations or trusts, in the construction of large-scale projects covered by mortgages of any amount up to \$5,000,000. Second, to encourage them to build smaller developments covered by mortgages ranging from \$16,000 to \$200,000. Any citizens, or groups of citizens, who plan such projects should communicate with the local officers of the Federal Housing Administration.

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LABOR—It has been announced by the Labor subcommittee that a bill will be written gradually improving wage minimum and hour maximum conditions over a period of several years until a 40-hour week and 40-cent minimum hourly wage is assured workers in industries operating in interstate commerce.

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FEDERAL HOUSING—More than \$100,000,000 of new business has been recorded on the books of the Federal Housing Administration since the amended National Housing Act was signed by President Roosevelt on February 3rd. This includes approximately \$70,000,000 in mortgages selected for approval and about \$30,000,000 in large scale multi-family projects submitted to the Washington headquarters for approval.

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FARM EMPLOYMENT INCREASED MORE THAN USUAL—An open winter and generally favorable weather for outdoor farming operations east of the Mississippi River resulted in a larger than usual seasonal increase in employment on farms. Reports indicated average employment of 269 persons—family workers and hired hands—on every 100 farms on March 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Gay Fielder and daughter, Helen, of Alpine, were guests this week of Mrs. L. B. Bruner and other relatives.

MCCAULLEY MATTERS

By JOHN P. HARDESTY

The Missionary program which was to have been given at the Baptist Church last Sunday morning has been postponed until next Sunday at 11:00 o'clock. This program, which will be presented in drama by some thirty members of the Sunday School, will be entertaining, educational and inspirational. It will take the place of the sermon at the morning hour.

The Quarterly meeting of Fisher County Association Auxiliary will be held at the Sylvester Baptist Church Tuesday, April 5th. The theme for the program is, "Sheaves with Rejoicing." The following is a part of the program: Devotional, Mrs. S. R. Brumfield, Royston; Greetings, Mrs. O. D. Henley, Sylvester; Response, Mrs. J. R. Strayhorn, Rotan; Greetings from Local Presidents. Report of corresponding secretary—treasurer, Mrs. J. A. Brown, Rotan. Book review—Book of Ruth, Mrs. D. L. Swint, Rotan. —Lunch—Each lady will bring a covered dish of food. Devotional, Mrs. Etta Stephenson, McCauley. Missionary Program, McCauley Auxiliary. Reports of Chairmen of several churches. Reading of minutes—business—adjournment.

April 17th, is Founder's Day for Hardin-Simmons University and ex-students and alumni are requested to make formal public acknowledgment by suitable programs. The local program will be given at the morning hour, Sunday, 17th. An interesting and inspirational service will be held. A prominent faculty member of H. S. U. will be guest speaker. McCauley community has the largest number of Simmons Exes of any place its size in the world. So says "Prexy." Simmons has done much for McCauley. McCauley should do much for Simmons. Our Christian institutions should have our enthusiastic support in every material and spiritual way possible. The public is invited to be with us on this occasion.

The following item was handed in too late to get in our column last week: Mrs. F. M. Curtis and Mrs. P. S. Hemphill were served a birthday dinner at the home of W. A. Hemphill, Sunday, March 20th. Mrs. Curtis is the sister of Mrs. W. A. Hemphill, while Mrs. P. S. Hemphill is the mother of W. A. Hemphill. Others present were: Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Curtis and family; Mr. and Mrs. McDonald and family and Mrs. McDonald's sister, Sally Keller, all of Big Spring; Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Mayo, Mr. and Mrs. Burl Curtis, P. S. Hemphill, Misses Belle and Alice Mayo, F. M. Curtis and Martha V. Boykin, all of McCauley and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Mayo and son, Derrell of Hamlin. Two large cakes decorated with candles, (number not given,) were displayed on the dining table. Evidently a good feast was enjoyed by all present.

Miss Kenna Rector visited with friends in Abilene last Saturday and Sunday.

Reports have come to us that the McCauley Santa Fe agent will be discontinued. The agent, Mrs. M. J. Bentley, will be transferred to another station soon. This does not meet with our approval. But the Santa Fe does not consult the public about what it does. So we must bow to the inevitable. We regret to lose this fine woman from our community. We wish her the best of good fortune in whatever place she may go.

Our sympathy goes out to the Kinsey family in the death of the husband and father, John Kinsey, who passed away at his home south of McCauley, Saturday. Funeral services were conducted at the home Sunday afternoon, by Rev. A. D. Williams and burial was made in the McCauley cemetery. Mr. Kinsey was injured by a horse in 1932 and his long illness was attributed to that accident.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Mayo returned from visiting with a daughter, Mrs. Edward Fairley and family at Jal, New Mexico and Mrs. Mayo's sister, Mrs. M. A. Connell and family at Morton, Texas.

* This is the day for all citizens to write or phone their law enforcement officers their appreciation for safety vigilance.

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